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Applicant(s): Lahiff		APR 15 2004	
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Invention: **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR DISSIPATING ENERGY IN A FUEL CELL GENERATOR SYSTEM**

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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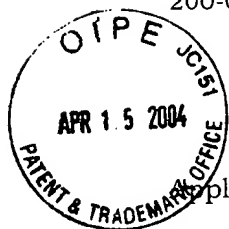


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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR DISSIPATING ENERGY
IN A FUEL CELL GENERATOR SYSTEMCommissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Dear Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement of 03/18/2004, Applicant elects without traverse, the method claims in Group I (Claims 1-7) and Group II (Claims 8-17). Please cancel Claims 18-22.

If such election is not allowed, Applicant elects without traverse, the method claims in Group II (Claims 8-17) and requests that Claims 1-7, and 18-22 be canceled.

Respectfully submitted,

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